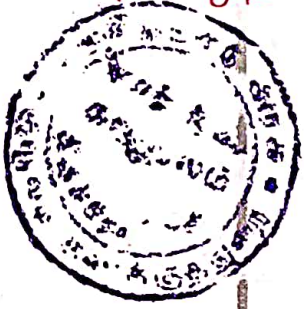


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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MoU) FOR INDUSTRY ACADEMIA COLLABORATION

This MoU is made and executed at Tiruchirapalli on this date of 1st March of the year 2023.

BETWEEN

Cauvery College for Women (Autonomous), Tiruchirappalli is one of the premier self-financing colleges in the State of Tamil Nadu, started in the year 1984 and is run by the Reddy Educational Trust. The college is recognized under 2f and 12 B under UGC Act, 1956. The college has completed thirty eight years of academic service in women's education by moulding the students to take up crucial roles in the society. Our Institution has been conferred with Autonomous status from the academic year 2019-20. This prestigious college aims for excellence in education wherein we have opened the portals to many first generation learners and students from rural areas to varied branches of study. The primary aim of the college is to nurture professional competency, self-confidence, managerial abilities and entrepreneurial development among students.

NAAC has awarded "A" Grade to the college consecutively in all the three cycles (I Cycle 85.90/100 A Grade, II Cycle A Grade with CGPA 3.37 and III Cycle A Grade with CGPA 3.41 out of 4). The college is offering 16 Under Graduate Programmes, 10 Post Graduate Programmes and 8 Research Programmes with total student strength of 3705. We have a dedicated band of 206 members of teaching and 161 non-teaching members who are well equipped with the latest trends in pedagogy. Life Science departments of the institution aim at providing a glimpse of all basic concepts that can be applied across various fields of biological sciences. The departments have the honor of receiving funds and 30 Research Projects from DST, UGC, NAAC, TNSCST, IISc, NASI, INSA, UBA, ICSSR and RGNIYD. The departments show exponential growth with many accolades in curricular and co-curricular activities.

AND

GLOBAL NATURE FOUNDATION, No. 28, South Mariyamman kovil street, Thuraiyur, Tiruchirappalli District, Tamil Nadu 621010. The Global Nature Foundation (GNF) is a non-governmental organisation which has been registered (Registration No: 841/2011) in the year 2011 by Dr. Naveen Krishna. GNF promotes activities and training programme to the farmers, school & college students and public such as Environmental conservation, Reforestation, Global warming awareness, Water management, Wildlife conservation, Integrated farming, and Organic farming.

Now therefore the parties hereto have agreed to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) considering the long term benefits of sharing the knowledge between the Institutes and establishing a vibrant academic collaboration, by undertaking joint activities in their respective fields of research and Training programme, as below (here in after referred to as Activities")

It is mutually agreed by and between the parties as under.

Activities

1. Seek mutual advice and support in planning and executing programs promoting excellence in respective areas of research and education;
2. Encourage the regular / visiting faculty members of either Institutions to visit the other Institute for delivering talks in Various Programmes;
3. Encourage students / research personnel of either Institutions to attend lectures, seminars, workshops and conferences in the respective areas of interest;
4. Share the library and scientific literature facilities mutually by giving access to library and other resources of either Institute to the scientists / students / research personnel of other Institute;
5. Encourage the research / graduate students of Cauvery College for Women (Autonomous) and the staff of GLOBAL NATURE FOUNDATION to visit the other Institute for short durations for getting research inputs and guidance upon recommendation from the research guides/ faculty members of Cauvery College for Women (Autonomous) or Founder and Directors of GLOBAL NATURE FOUNDATION;
6. Encourage joint research activities and projects by the faculty members / scientific personnel of Cauvery College for Women (Autonomous) and GLOBAL NATURE FOUNDATION;
7. Graduate, Postgraduate and Doctoral Research Project work/ Internship/ Summer Project to be carried out at both the organization.
8. Short term and long term developmental programs on topics of mutual interest.
9. Exchange of faculty for guest lectures as well as for examinerships.

Specific terms, conditions and procedural aspects of collaboration including financial obligations of either party shall be finalized on mutual discussion in respect of each specific project under this MoU separately.

Confidentiality and IPR-Protection

Both parties hereunder agree that any information disclosed by one party to the other shall be maintained as proprietary confidential information and will be disclosed only to the authorities as required in the relevant statutory regulations and to those persons in the recipient party's organization that has a need to know for purposes authorized by the relevant agreement. All such proprietary confidential information will be kept in confidence and the party receiving the confidential information agrees to prevent the disclosure to any other person or persons outside the organization or any unauthorized person or persons except to the organization authorized by either of the parties hereunder on need to know the basis for the execution of the work.

The obligations that are created under this MoU on either party as well as through subsequent relevant agreements on either party shall be duly discharged during the term of the MoU and agreement and their expiry/termination.

Both parties shall not file any application for seeking intellectual property rights (IPR) in its own name or in the name of its associates or any other person(s) on any matter relating to the information disclosed to each other under this MoU. However, they can seek intellectual property rights on joint names of the parties as mutually agreed on case to case basis.

Intellectual property generated during the activities under the MoU shall be shared jointly. The extent of ownership shall be decided mutually depending upon the relative intellectual inputs made by the parties. The expenditure incurred and to be incurred for the maintenance of IPR shall be borne by each party equally or in proportion to the extent of ownership as may be decided by the Steering Committee.

Publication

Publications, if any, in respect of the activity under this MoU shall be in the names of involved personnel from both the parties. In all publications (papers, reports, etc.,) it will be duly acknowledged that the work has been carried out by GLOBAL NATURE FOUNDATION and CCW under this MoU between the parties.

Duration

The MoU is valid for a period of 24 months from the date of signing.

Governing Law

The contract shall be governed by the Law of India for the time being in force.

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